Longwave Imaging for Astronomical Applications, Phase I



Completed Technology Project (2009 - 2009)

Project Introduction

We propose to develop a compact portable longwave camera for astronomical applications. In Phase 1, we will develop and deliver the focal plane array (FPA) - a crucial camera component. In Phase 2, we will integrate the FPA with electronics and optics into a compact package and deliver the resulting camera to NASA for field testing.

Anticipated Benefits

1) Gas sensing (e.g. for the petrochemical industry). 2) Security and surveillance. 3) Thermography. 4) Medical imaging.

Primary U.S. Work Locations and Key Partners



Organizations Performing Work	Role	Туре	Location
☆Goddard Space Flight Center(GSFC)	Lead Organization	NASA Center	Greenbelt, Maryland
QmagiQ, LLC	Supporting Organization	Industry	Nashua, New Hampshire



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Primary U.S. Work Locations	
Maryland	New Hampshire

Organizational Responsibility

Responsible Mission Directorate:

Space Technology Mission Directorate (STMD)

Lead Center / Facility:

Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC)

Responsible Program:

Small Business Innovation Research/Small Business Tech Transfer

Project Management

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Technology Areas

Primary:

- TX08 Sensors and Instruments
 - ☐ TX08.1 Remote Sensing Instruments/Sensors
 - └─ TX08.1.3 Optical Components

